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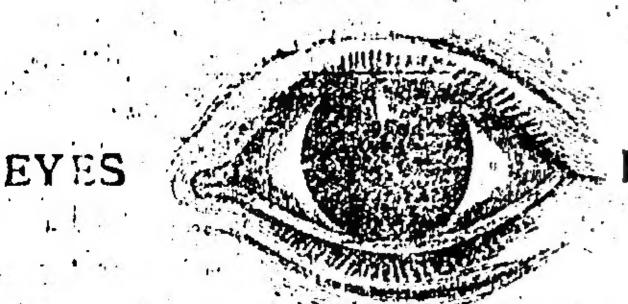
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this account. " LIKIN COLLECTIONS."

The collection of Likin dues in Canton durog the second ten days of the 11th moon, as reported by the Likin officials to the Viceroy amounted to 88,0094.7.0 taels, which shows an increase of nearly 50,000 tacks as compared with the amount collected during the preceding ten days. The increase is evidently due to large exports of native goods on account of the closing of the Chinese year in anticipation of the new year holidays.

PAN-YU MAGISTRATE.

The Viceroy is reported to be greatly displeased with the Pan Yu Magistrate for the unsplisfactory manner in which he is alleged to have performed his duties. That officia has therefore been removed from office, and Yueng Shi Ki appointed to fill the vacancy.

CANTON CHRISTIAN COLLEGE. A branch school of the Canton Christian College will be opened next Chinese year in with the Western suburb of this city, where students will be admitted for training preparatory to

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The American Consul-General at Canton has written to the Viceroy to express his thanks to him and the Police authorites for this courtesy and adequate protection extended to the American around-the-world tourists during their recent visit to Canton on the 24th and .25th

In consequence of the thick fog, the arrivals of the river steamers have been delayed this morning, some by three and others by almost five bours.

NAVAL REORGANISATION,

The Tu Chih Pa (Ministry of Finance) at Peking has issued circular instructions to the Provincial Viceroys and governors asking them to remit as soon as possible the amounts, as promised by them, to Peking towards the funds for the construction of the Chinese Navy.

Taotai Chang Sik Fan, who handed over charge of office as Provincial Educational Commissioner, to Shum Tsang Tung on the 10th instant, will leave here on the 14th instant to proceed to his native province.

CANTON-HANKOW RAILWAY.

Mr. Lung Kin Chung, deputed by the Minis-[62 try of Posts and Communications, to inquire into the working of the Canton-Hankow Railway, arrived here this morning by u.s. Charles Hard uin. The French engineer, who is also sent by the Ministry to make an inspection of the railway in company with Mr. Lung, is expected to arrive here in a few days by the steamer Kwangtak.

Intimation.

FOR HIRE.

THE ONLY GARAGE IN TOWN.

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## Motice: of Firms.

CHARGEURS REUNIS

By Mutual Agreement between the Com-pagnie des Messageries Meritimes and the Compagnie des Chargeurs Réunis, the HONGKONG AGENCY of the CHARGEURS REUNIS will, from the 1st January, 1910, be transferred to Meisrs. P. A. LAPICQUE & CO. (Queen's Building No. 4).

CHARGEURS REUNIS. P. A. LAPICQUE & Co., Agents.

MESSAGERIES MARITIMES, P. THOMAS.

Agent. Hongkong, 29th December, 1909.

NOTICE

OTICE is hereby given that we have appointed Mr. C. MING SHAN as SOLE MANAGER of our Firm and that all receipts and other documents purporting to be made by us must bear his signature without which the same will not be recognized by us. AH YOUNG AND COMPANY.

No. 1B, Victoria Street. Hongkong, 8th January, 1913

" NOTICE."

TO WHOM IT MAY! CONCERN.

R. J. C. KITZMANTL minior partner of VI our Hongkong Branch, being compelled to stay in Europe on account of family matters, has left our firm and the partnership subsist-ing hitherto has been dissolved by mutual Agreement on and from To-day.

Our business will be carried on as bitherto, Mr. OSWALD KRAMER, who is authorised to sign the firm, in charge of

this Branch House. H. ROBITSEK-& REIS. Hongkong, 1st January, 1910.

## Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by

FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED,

PUBLIC AUCTION,

SATURDAY, the 15th January, 19:0, at 2.30 P.M., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Vœux Road, corner of Ice House Street,

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

JAPANESE CURIOS. Comprising: MAKUDZU VASES, BOWLS and PLATES, BRASS BUDDHAS and TEMPLE LAN-TERNS, KINKOSAN SATSUMA TEA and COFFEE SETS, VASES, BOWLS, SILVER and GOLD CLOISONNE VASES and BOWLS, IVORY CARVINGS, SILK-EM-BROIDERED SCREEN, GOLD DAMAS.

CENE WARE, KAGA TEA SETS, &c., &c. Catalogues will be issued. TERMS:-As Usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers. Hongkong, 11th January, 1910.

TARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 17th day of Jinuary, 1910, at 3 P.M., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of CROWN LAND at Kau U Fong, in the Colony of Hong-kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a CROWN RENT to be fixed

by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

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## Untimations.

JAPANESE MASSAGE.

Masseur MEIJI SHA

Hougkong, 8th Jaousty, 1910.

GRADUATE OF KOBE MESSAGE SCHOOL. ATTENDANCE AT PATIENTS' RESIDENCE. No. 17', WANCHAI ROAD,

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GROUND FLOOR.

PERFECT preservative stain for Wood. Stone, and Brickwork.

le protects against Decay, Fungus, Dry Rot, the Rayiges of Insects and Vermin (especially the white ant) and the action of the

for it, as may be seen from the testimonials of the Gavernments of Indis, the In Drums and Barrels of various colours.

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BUILDINGS.

Hongkoog, sath Decomber, 1909.

Public Company SOCIETY.

THE CHINA LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above named Company will be held at the Offices of Messis Shewan, Tomes & Co., Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the forenoon, for the purpose of considering and if thought fit confirming as a special resolution the subjoined resolution which was passed by the requisite majority at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 30th cay of December, 1909.

That the Articles of Association of the Company be altered

1. By inserting therein immediately after paragraph 4 of Clause VIII. a new paragraph as follows :-

Whenever the Capital of the Company isdivided into several Classes of Shares all or any of the rights and privileges attached to any Class may be modified altered sub-divided re-arranged or dealt with by Special Resolution of the Company passed pursuant to an Agreement in writing made between the Company and some member of the Class purporting to contract on behalf of the members of the Class provided such agreement shall before the Special Resolution is passed be ratified by Extraordinary Resolution passed at a separate Meeting of the Class or by writing under the hand of the holders of at least two-th-rds of the Shares of the Class and it shall be no objection provides for a reduction of Capital otherwise than in accordance with the legal rights of the holders of shares of the Class or for the payment of a dividend or bonus otherwise than in accordance with the rights of the Holders of the shares of the Class or for the allotment of shares credited as fully or partly paid up in satisfaction or part satisfaction of such dividend or bonus and for the purposes of this Clause a Resolution shall be an Extraordinary Resolution when it has been passed by a majority of not less than two-thirds of such members of the Class'entitled to vote as are present in person or by proxy at a separate. General Meeting of the Class of which Notice specifying the intention to propose the Resolution as an Extraordieary Resolution has been duly given and so that the q atum of any such Meeting shall be three members at least of the Class and so that the Meeting shall be called in accordance. with the provisions hereof.

2. By inserting immediately after paragraph of Clause XVI. a new paragraph a

\*8. Any General Meeting declaring Dividend may direct payment of such Dividend wholly or in part by the distribution of specific assets and in particular of paid up shares Debentures or Debenture stock of the Company or of any other Company or in any one or more of such ways and the General Managers'shall give effect to such direction and whore any difficulty arises in regard to the distribution they may saltle thesame as they think expedient and in particular may issue fractional Certificates and may fix the value for distribution of such specific assets or any part thereof and may determine that cash payments shall be made to any members upon the footing of the value so fixed in order to adjust the rights of all parties and may vost any such specific assets in Trustees upon such trusts for the persons entitled to the Dividend as may seem expedient to the General Managers. Where requisite a proper contract, shall be filed in accordance with Section 7 of the Companies! Act, 1300, and the General Managers may appoint any person to sign such contract on behalf of the

Dated the 31st day of December, 19:9, By Order,

SREWAN, TOMES & CO. General Managers,

persons entitled to the Dividend and

such appointment thall be effective.

THE WEST POINT BUILDING

COMPANY, LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given that the TWEN-TY-SECOND ORDINARY MEET. ING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on TUESDAY, the 25th January, 19'0, at 11.45 n'clock A M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1909.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY the 17th January, to TUESDAY, the 25th January, (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Board of Directors,

A. SHELTON HOOPER, Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co , Ltd. General Agents for the

West Point Building Company, Limited Hongkong, 8th January, 1910.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Olice is hereby given that the TWENTY-SECOND ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices; Victoria' Buildings, on TUESDAY, the 25th January, 1910, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statement of Accounts

for the year ending grat December, 1909. The REGISTER of S 'ARES of the Company will be CLO .ED from MONDAY, the 17th Jacuary, to TUESDAY, the 25th January, (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOOPER.

. Secretary. Hongkong, 8th January, 1910.

> YEE SING. NO. 4. D'AGUILAR STREET,

ANUFACTURE: WHOLESALE AND retain dealers in all kinds of hand-made DRAWN and EMBROIDERY CHINESE INE GRASS CLOTH, PEWTER WARE, &c. all of the best quality

Hankstone, the December, 1904

HONGKONG BENKVOLENT

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Hongkong Ludies Benevolent Society took place at the City Hall last evening. The Hon. Mr. H Osborne presided, being 'tupported by' Lady May (president of the Society) and Mrs. G. T Edvins (hon. secretary),

Mr. Osborne read a letter from the Bishop of Victoria expressing his regret at not being able to be present at the meeting, The Chairman then said:-Lady May, Ladies

and Gentlemen, This assemblage of those who are interested in the work of the Hongkong Benevolent Societs, happening as it does at the dawn of a New Year, when the world of commerca is accustomed to review the operations of the past twelve months, assumes in some -respects the characteristics of joint stock enterprise, in that we are here to-day as shareholders of that great undertaking called Charity, not in the limited sense of almsgiving, but Charity. in its broadest, grandest conception, - the bioth-rhood of man. We are here then to-day for the purpose of considering our profits. of canvaising for patronage, and of calling up forther capital, by which to achieve still greater results in that vast sphere of activity, wherein the forces of good and the forces of evil engage in ceaseless competition for the mastery and seology of commerce I will, with your permis-I hope through the courtesy of the Press to draw public attention to the Society's work. First maybe through the devilry of others, or it may be through sheer unadulterated misfortune, fied themselves stranded, helpless and alone, upon an alien shore. There is here in this Society no haven for the criminal, the drunkard, help is of great value. or the wastrel, products of an age in which Society with disordered appetite for change is for evershuffling its arrangements and is pleased

to termilt progress. Progress indeed; there is soprogress, so long as pauperism stalks the land. These in their way are one and all deserving of reconstructive treatment and no doubt when men, who assume the tole of governing men, shall have learnt to harmonize their differences in the interests of public weal; when the school teacher shall cease to plaster the infant mind with smatterings of knowledge and deem it education; when the same attention shall be given to the development of character as now is given to the physical culture of the body; when controllers of industry, are able to realise that overproduction brings unemployment, distress and misery; when the profits of industry shall be more equitably apportioned to the workers; and above all when the workers themselves shall have been taught the value of thrift and self-reliance; then indeed Society's house will be so ordered that the drunkard and the drone will disappear and we shall no longer dishonour civilization by taint-

ing it with heaps of refuse humanity, unfitted live, unready to die Meanwhile, untithis millennium, the Hongkong Benevolent Society, as with kindred associations scattered throughout the world, is helping to stem the tide of misery; for during the twenty-one years of its existence, a large number of persons, and I may here say that with a view to prevent fraud and imposition, the features of every case are very carefully. scrutinised, a large number of persons have been assisted in one way or another; and if you will refer to the Society's reports will find mention of the widow unprovided for; the willing worker broken by sickness and suffering; the out-of-work victim of commercial depression; and above all, you will find the friendless orphan child. To such it is the self-appointed task of these ladies to carry encouragement and aid : to help the weak hearted and to raise up them that have fallen by the way. Truly this is noble work, worthy of our praise, and I feel

now beg to propose that the report and accounts for 1909, as presented, be adopted. Rev. C. H. Hickling seconded.

Motion unanimously adopted. On the motion of the Chairman a hearty vote of t anks was accorded to Mis. Edkins, the bon, secretary.

sure that Hongkone, ever ready to succour the

unfortunate, will this year respond to Society's

appeal for funds, in measure more liberal and

in manner more cheerful, than ever before,

The usual motion thanking the Chairman for presiding was proposed, seconded and 'carried. The meeting then ended.

THE REPORT. The report is as follows: - -

The ladies of the committee beg to submit the following report of the year's work, and the QUINQUINA'? tatement of accounts for 1909;

During the year fifty applications have been made to the Society. Each applicant has been interviewed by some member of the Ladies' Committee, and careful consideration has been given to the circumstances and needs of each case:

Thirty-eight of the applicants have received assistance either with clothes, temporary board and lodging, situations, or passages to places where they had relatives or a promise of work Four were helped to leave the colony in the mere hope of their doing better elsewhere.

Twelve received no help from the Society, but it is often those cases which are not helped which occupy the most time and thought

The fact that the number of applicants is unusually large this year is due to the greater facility given to members of the Society for bringing cases to the notice of the Committee. Through the courtesy of the City, Hall anthoritles a room in that building has been lest to On Benevolent Society, and Montbers Leve

been at liberry to send applicants there, The arrange Lant has worked most satisfactorily, and has been the means of beinging several cases to the notice of the Committee which Otherwise would have received desultory help from those applied to and have been speedily lost sight of. By the new plan no person wanting a friend is without the chance of gaining one if in the least deserving, and we all know that it is possible, in the East, for persons to be temporarily friendless without the cause being of necessity any grave fault of their own. At first it was feared that the room might be an encouragement to beachcombers and unsultable people to trouble the Society, but this has not proved the case, All who have come have been sent by responsible persons and no inconvenience has arisen.

Regarding those helped the rules of the Society prevent much being said publicly. Fifteen were women, four of whom are now darning a living satisfactorily in the Colony seven, happily settled elsewhere, have continued in correspondence with the secretary, thus showing their appreciation of the kindness they received from the Society; two have still to show that the interest taken in them was not misplaced, while two have been lost sight of from the time they left the Colony, as was fully expected when the belp was given,

Of the men assisted seven have reported Ibemselves after obtaining work, and of these, three have been well spoken of by their emcontrol of man. So, in the accustomed phra- ployers. There has not been time to hear from several others who are likely to report themsion, take the report and accounts as read and selves, and there are two or three of whom much cannot be expected."

Besides the cases immediately dealt with by let me say that this Society is no flummery of the Ladies Committee others have been helped Charity busy-bodying itself over impossible on behalf of the Society by Rev. C E. Thompmeasures of harmful influence. It is a society son, Chaplain to the Missions to Seamen. The of ladies who, in quiet, unassuming garb, are usual donation of \$15 a month has been sent to codesvouring to help those who endeavour to Mr. Thompson, from the funds of the Society, help themselves; to rehabilitate those who, and his returns show twenty-three men helped maybe through inherent weakness of character, by this means. The arrangement relieves the ladies of the most difficult feature of the work, and they wish to thank Mr. Thompson for his whole-heasted "co-operation, as well as the gentleman of the Reference Committee whose

Thanks are also due to the managers of the steamship companies who have granted reduced passages in special cases, and to the many kind supporters of the Society who, unable from various reasons, to offer their personal services, do what is still more important and by subscriptions and donations generously enable the few who have the time and opportunity, to carry on the work of the Society.

During the past year the following ladies have served on the Committee :- Lady May (President), Mrs. Badeley, Mrs Beck, Mrs. Becker, Mrs. Bunbury, Mis. Edkins, Mrs. Gresson, Mrs. R. Hancock, Mrs. Hastings, Mrs. Hickling, Miss Innes, Mrs. Lander, Mrs. Pinckney, Mrs. Stabb, Mrs. J. C. Thomson, Mrs. Turner.

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Hongkong, 12th January, 1910.

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Sola Agent, Hangkang, 30th April, 1909.

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TOILET REQUISITES FOR SALE. 19 D'AGUILAR SPREEN. HOME KOME.

#### Untimations

HARBOUR MASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

IT is hereby notified that information has been received from the Military Authorities that GUN PRACTICE (Movable Armament) will be carried out as under :-

On the 7th, 10th, 12th, 12th, 13th and 14th January, 1910:-

From Eagle's Nest in a Northerly direction, commencing at 9 A.M. On the 8th, 10th, 18th, 12th, 13th and 14th

January, 19 0:--From Boa Vista in a direction of from South-East to South-West, commencing at 10 A.M.

If the weather is unfavourable on any of the above dates, practice will take place on the following day. All ships, junks and other vessels are to

keep clear of the range, BASIL TAYLOR, Commander, R.N., Harbour Master, &c.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY

Houghing 5th January, 1010,

#### LIMITED. PORTLAND CEMENT.

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General Managers. Hongkong, roth March, rook

#### PABST EXTRACT

THE best TONIC for keeping in perfect health in the Tropics.

It is a liquid food in predigested form, containing all the bracing, soothing and toning effects of the choicest hops. Nearly Nonalcoholic.

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ALSO JUST RECEIVED-

PABST (American) BEER, in barrels of 120 bottles. In view of the arrival of the American fleet in a few days, please order early, as our stock is limited.

'SIEMSSEN & CO.,

## Hongkong, 13th December, 1909.

Consignees. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES,

FROM MIDDLESBOROUGH, ANTWERP LONDON, MARSEILLES, COLOMBO AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship

"ATSUTA MARU."

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon, Wharf and Godown Company's Godown at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as

soon as the Goods are landed. Coke, Scrap Iron or other similar natured goods are to be taken immediate delivery ex ship; otherwise they will be landed into the same Company's Godowns at owner's risk and

Optional Goods will be carried on unless instructions are given to the contrary before Noon, TO-DAY.

Goods not cleared by the 17th January will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Damaged packages must be left in the Godown for examination by the Consignee's and the Co.'s representatives at an appointed hour. All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival bere, after which date they cannot be recognised. No claims will be admitted after the goods have

left the Godowns. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA Hongkong, Joth January, 1010

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG: AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship

" Lightning," having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside,

Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed at once, at Consignees' risk and expense. Cargo remaining on board after 4 P.M., of the 13th inst, will be landed at Consiguees' risk

and expense. Consignees of Cargo from SINGAPORE and PENANG are requested to take. IM-MEDIATE DELIVERY of their Grods from alongside, such Cargo impeding the dis-charge of the vessel will be landed and stored

at Consigneer risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the

Indersigned. DAVID SASSOON & CO. LIMITED Honekoon, ith Jennery, 1910.

## Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamer

DEVANHA. FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

Consignees of Cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

This vessel brings on Cargo:

From London, &c., ax s.s. Montua, From Calcutta, ex S.S. Sardinia, From Persian Guif, ex B.I.S.N. and B. &

Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary within

P. S. N. Co.'s Steamers.

Goods not cleared by the 12th instant, at P.M., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consigned's

and the Company's representative at an appointed hour." All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods Bag. have left the Godowns. R. A. HRWETT, Superintendent. Hongkong, 6th January, 1010

> NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN. IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship

"COBLENZ," having arrived, Consignous of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Oplum, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowas of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Com-

pany, Limited, at Kowloon, and West Point Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods .remain-'at ing undelivered after the 14th of January, will be subject to rent.

> All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 21st of January, at 9.30 A.M. All Claims must reach us before the 25th of January, 1910, or they will not be recognized.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned: NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. MELCHERS & Co.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

General Agents. Hor skong, 7th January, 1910.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, MOJI AND KOBE.

THE Steamship

"GREGORY APCAR," having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are bereby informed that their Goods [40 will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon. Wharf and Go-down Co., Limited. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON & Co., LIMITED,

Hongkong, 10th January, 1910. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM EUROPE. THE Company's Steamship

"CARNARVONSHIRE," having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co's hazardons and/or extra hazardona Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the goods are

Goods not cleared by the toth instant 6 A.M., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in

any case whatever. All damaged packages must be left be Godown, where they will be examined in 9.30 A.M. on the 15th inst. No Claims will at admitted after Goods have left the Godown nor will they be recognized if presented after

o days of vessel's arrival here. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., Agents.

Hongkong, 10th January, 1010. "BEN" LINE OF STRAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S.S. "BENVORLICH," FROM ANTWERP, LRITH, LONDON-

AND STRAITS. ONSIGNEES: of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous, and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd. whence and/or from the wharves delivery

may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Gobda. have left the Godowns, and all Goods remain. ing undelivered after the 15th inst, will be sub-

ject to rent. All Claims against the littamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 22nd just, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godo one, where they will be ramined on the ISIN inst, at II A.M.

No Fire Imperance has been effected Bills of Lading will be countend and be WIGHE LIVINGSTON WOO

THE PROPERTY ISTS

#### Intimation.

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been to hear Mr. Osbornerolling out in his deep

soporous tones the orante and rounded pariods

which conveyed unction unalloyed to the hearts

of his bearers. To tell the truth, after reading

the speech of Mr. Osbarae and the snippity-

snap remarks of a couple of parsons we are still

very much in the dark as to what they were all

driving at. What has the Ladies' Benevolent

Society done that the members deserve to be

lauded up to the skies as if they were profes-

sinnal sisters of mercy? We know, on the

authori y of Mr Osborne, what they have not

dore ; they have not been "busybidying them-

selves over impossible measures of harmfu

influence," whatever that means. But what we

should like to know is---What sort of people have

they helped? If they have not been "busy

bodying themselves over impossible measures!

citc., how did they carefully scrutinise every

did, and how did they differen i ite one case

from another?" Did they just tons up, or wer

they influenced by the size of the baby's nose

or the smell of the parental breath? Charity

is a fine thing in its way but a great deal de-

pends on the manner in which "it is dispensed.

We believe we are right in saying that there

not a lady in Hongkong who is not prepared

at a moment's hotice to assume the 10%

of My Lidy Bountiful." But when she is

acting on behalf of a Society- which

appeals to the public for funds we want to know

something more about what she has been doing,

than is conveyed in the bald statement that

distress has been releved. How can she, in

her silks and satins, tell the difference between

honest poverty, which hides its head in shame,

and 'cute mendacity which has the whole art of

men shall have learnt to harmon ze their differ-

workers, and above all, when the workers them-

drone will disappear and we shall no longer dis-

honour civilisation by tainting it with heaps of

refuse humanity, upfitted to live, upready to die"

At this stage we can hear that gentleman who

Tariff Reform means work for all" ard another.

"Make the dirty foreigner pay." . Undoubted-

ly, that Gladstonian sentence must have swept

the ladies off their feet. So tense was the

emotional wave at the moment that the mem-

bers of the Benevolent Society were unable to

ejaculate even the backneyed "'Ear, 'ear." But

if anybody fancies that Mr. Osborne had end-

ed his sp e:h with that glorious rhadomontade

as a percention, permit us to say that they are

eadly mistaken. He was only getting into

bis stride then. In pathetic vois he told how

the Society had been helping to sem the

tide of misery for 21 years, how every

precention was taken to prevent fraud and

imposition, and how a large number had

been assisted one way or another-which is

somewhat vague. "If you refer to the Society's

reports," he said, "you will find mention of the

widow unprovided for, the willing worker

broken by sickness and suffering, the out of

work victim of commercial depression, and

above all you will find the friendless orphan

child . To such it is the self-appointed task of

these ladies to carry encouragement and ald, to

help the weak-hearted and to raise up them

noble work, worthy of our palie, and I fee

bat bave falled by the way, Truly bin it

appeal for assistance, as we are told the

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MY LADY BOUNTIFUL.

Preaching on the subject of charity at the annual meeting of the Ladies' Benevelent Society, which was held yesterday, the Hon. Mr. R. Osborne appears to have made everybody very happy and comfortable by extolling. their great phllanthropy in distributing other people's money among the unfortunate poor. We had always regarded Mr. Osborne as plain, ordinary, hard-headed business man, who left the frills and flounces of speach to those who took occasional flights to the empyrean, but yesterday be sposared in a new tolo-all in the cause of sweet charity. Instead of the practical remarks which one is acceptomed to expect from him, he delivered what might

fillingly be described as an election addres. unfortunate, will this year respond to the So- ly spiced accounts of what might have happened | Chinese Residents in It bubbled over with the milk of human kicd. ciety's appeal for fonds, in measure more liberal had she been without protectors. We were told ness, so to speak, but it also trounced and and in manner more cheerful than ever before." in the language of the prize-ring how one gentlefligellated the wastrel, the criminal and the Well, let us hope so. The cause of charity is man gave a great hulking coolie an upper cut drunkard, It spoke of the brotherhood of man a worthy one in all conscience, but what we on the proboscis and was himself pr motly floor as "Charity in its broadest; grandest concep- object to is this division of the poor into ed in retaliation. The other European pertion," and it praised the ladies connected with two classes—the sheep and the goats. None formed a ju-jitsu act and sat upon both the the Benevolent Society for their self-sacrificing of us is so saintly as to be without that black intoxicated Chinamen until the police came. labours in the name of that which covereth a | chapter we wish to keep concealed. The Of course that was all very gay and gallant, but multitude of sins. Quite beautiful it must have wastrel Mr. Osborne speaks of is often a far lit reminds us of the story of the empty boxbetter man than the gentleman who is the "victim of commercial depression." What we suggest is that the ladies should leave political economy saverely alone and trust to the instinct of their hearts when they are giving a friendly lift to a fellow-creature.

IN THE COLONY'S INTEREST. There appears to be a tendency among contain classes of people, who apparently have nothing better to do but wag their tongues, to create a scare by magnifying the charges of what is termed assault committed by Chinese riff'faff on European ladies and girls, Within the past few weeks an odd case here and there has been reported to the police in which it has been alleged that these wandering Ishmaels of Chinese have made sudden onslaughts on unprotected females who have been travelling along the roads on the higher levels. At first sight these assaults have assumed a serious aspect for an attempt has generally been made to show that the moive was of a more serious character"than appeared on the surface. On looking into these cases, however, it is generally found in the end that the Chinese have been simply practising their old trick of purse-snatching, and in the majority of cases the rancals have been a great deal more frightened than the ladies threatened. Take for instance the case which occurred in Caine Road the other day when a Chinaman with great temerity tried to rob a lady of her hand satchel. Not only did he catch a Tartar but he very nearly found himself in the lock-up, only his experience in Marathon handicaps enabling him to get away scot-free. chicanery at its finger ends wherewith the And still, to read the starming accounts which humble dole may be wheedled out of the appeared in some newspapers printed in the pockets of the sympathetic sisterhood of chari- Colony, one would have thought that an orty? How does the distinguish the wastrel from | ganised battalion of thugs, Solomon Islanders "the out-of-work victim of commercial dep es- and ravishers had taken up its headquarters in slop"? Pethaps she doesn't try to. What she tries one of the principal residential districts of the to do, in the words of Mr. Osborne, is "to help | city," Such stuff and nonsense is treated with those who endeavour to help themselves : to re- | the contempt it deserves by the people of habilitate those who, may be through the devilry. Hongkong, but what about those who have of others, or it may be through theer unadulter- never been in this Colony and who know noated misfortune; find themselves stranded, thing about the conditions prevailing here. helpless and alone, upon an alien shore." That is They are not to know that there is a school of very fine, but there is better to come, as witness: | yellow journalism rearing its crested head in There is here, in this Society, no haven for Hongkong, and they are inclined to accept as the crimionl, the drunkard, or the wastrel, pro- grapel truth the imaginative lucubrations o ducts of an age in which Society, with disorder- irresponsible writers. It would not matter ! ed apposite for change, is for ever shuffling its the alightest if the harm done by the arrangements and is pleased to term it pro- publication of mischievous insinuations and gress. Progress indeed; there is no progress; innuendoes were reflected on the newspapers so long as pauperism stalks the land. These which are on the look-out for the nimble in their way are one and all deserving of nickel, but the unfortunate part is that these resonaructive treatment, and no doubt that concoctions are derogatory to the good name when men who assume the 10'e of governing I of the Colony and without the slightest justice It is a child's game to throw out a series of ences in the interests of public west; when the suspicious indications and then cry outschool teacher shall cease to plaster the infant I "Where are the police?" as if the whole city mind with smatterings of knowledge and deem were in danger. But at the moment it looks it education; when the same attention shall be good, and if it happens that the fair regiven to the development of character as now putation of the Colony is tarnished and is given to the physical culture of the body, besmirched in the process of shaking the citi when controllers of industry are able to realise | zens' nerves that can only be regarded as an that everproduction brings u.employment, unhappy coincidence. We do not believe for distress and misery, when the profits of indus. a single moment that during the last twelve try shall be more equitably apportioned to the months there has been any premeditated attempt on the part of any Chinese in this Coselves shall have been taught the value of thrift long to commit any criminal assault on any and self-reliance, then indeed Society's house lady or girl walking along the public roads of will be so ordered that the drupkard and the Hongkong. And in that belief we feel sure we will be fortified by the police records. Cases bave been reported, to be sure, but on investigation by the police these cases have been found to be either gross exaggerations or without is generally described as "A Voice" shouting: the slightest foundation in fact. Indeed, in some instances the cases have been abruptly dropped seeing that they were mere fantastic remances only the background of which was real, That there have been technical assaults as the outcome of attempts at purse-snatching nobody will deny, but it is absurd as well as improper to attach a deeper significance to them then thieves all over the world, and if a lady goes along a quiet road daugling a cheap handbag and jingling half a dozen coppers she need not be astonished if she is the cause of arousing. the cupidity of every loafer that comes along. He may be a ruffian and a scoundrel at heart, but at the moment he is simply a plain, ordinary. low-down thief, who has eyes for nothing but the handbag, and whose only desire is to spire. it and to disappear as expeditiously as possible. Why then should such an incident lead to is caustic comments regarding the inactivity of the police force, and mournful speculations whather Hougkong will ever be safe for a lone | Chinese Residents in female? The fact of the matter is all these

gloomy forebodings are simply piffle, and the

wilters no more believe in them thee their

readers in Hongkong, Bacause a couple of

drunken Chinamen lurched up against a Reg-

ears that Hong tong, ever ready to succour the Copengirities other night we were treated to him

there was nothing in it. Dished up with the sauce of ambiguity the story would suggest a great deal more to a stranger than could possibly be imported into it if the plain facts were stated. It is high time that the character and name of the Colony should be protected against the slings and arrows of thoughtless writers who have no sense of proportion and are incapible of realising their duty to the Colony which cortributes to their livelihood.

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

A FULL report of the proceedings at the annual meeting of the Hongkong Banevolent Society is printed on page'3.

CABLE communication between Japan and Corea is interrupted. Telegrams are forwarded by post from Shimonoseki to Pusan.

WE have received from the Osaka Shosen Kaisha a schedule for the current year of their regular fortnightly service to and from America.

THE Frankfurter Zeitung publishes a telegram from New York stating that the "American Sugar Trust has bought a Large estate in the Philippines,

ANOTHER of the fleet of steel lighters, built by the Hongkong & Whampon Dock Co. for the Quartermaster's Department at Manils, left. in tow of the s.s. Taming to-day.

RECENTLY published statistics show that, in Jave, in 1909, about 100 sugar mills were a work during the season, which turned out 20,20B,383 piculs of the sweet. These figures mark an increase of too,504 picule over the out-turn for 1998. The area under care for 1916 is estimated at 176,940 bouws (120,000 acres) nearly three per cent. more than in 1969,

#### Hongkong University.

COLLECTION OF CONDITIONAL SUBSCRIPTIONS.

LIST OF DONORS.

We have received the following official correspondence for publication :-

Victoria Buildings,.. Hongkong, 31st December, 1909. Sir.-By Resolution No. 17 passed by the Committee of the Hongkong University on December 13th, it was decided that "the term: of the Resolution No. I" (which laid down the amount which it was considered necessary to collect before the erection of the buildings could be commenced) "had been complied with to the satisfaction of the committee, and that work on the buildings, might be commenced forthwith." This Resolution, in which Mr. Mody concurred, is in itself sufficient authority for me to call in all sums conditionally promised, but as this is the date (December 31) which was assigned by Mr. Mody, up to which his offer would have remained open (had it not been already with his concurrence accepted) I have the honour, at your request, to sub mit a statement of the funds in my hands or fully guaranteed on this date. Hop. Dr. Co Kai C.M.G., chairman of the sub-committee fo raising Chinese subscriptions, authorise ma to state that he can fully guarantenall the Chinese subscriptions included in the list, and he also informs me that a considerable sum is expected from Shanghai of which at least \$10,000 can be "guaranteed", while a further sum of \$20,000 (of which \$17,000 is in hand) may be anticipated from the Trustees of a certain Fund.

From this statement it will be seen that the sum originally named has been fully real zed. The total of the attached list is \$1,252,164. o of which \$531,503.17, has been actually received and stands to-day at the credit of the University Food in the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation at 2% interest, and you will notice. the sum of \$2,000 included in the list ranger. the heading of interest.

added; the total fued promised and in hand would amount to \$1,173,164.00, or, at the rate of exchange ensumed in the case of sterling donations, viz. 1/9, - 62149 6 174 od It is my intention when all these sums have

been collected to miblish a list of the donors with the amount of their subscriptions. I may observe that, allowing two years for the building of the University, the capital sum (without frither additions which may confident ly be expected) if instructed at a minimum rate

of 5 per cent per annum, would yield a further sum of about \$150,000 to be added to the furthe at the disposal of the University before its work I would strong rescousinged that this should

be done, and should be glad to receive Your Excellency's decisions pon this point. I have the honour to be,

> Your prodient servant, (Signed), C. P. CHATER,

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Government House.

11th January, 19to. figures, and only reached me to-day.

sum which it was decided was required for an call upon those whose promises to subscribs lish a complete subscription list.

required.

Were the sums mentioned by Dr. Ho Kai the funds in hand should be at once invested | September. or how they should be dealt with to the best advantage, I will call a meeting to decide this maiter without delay. I congratulate you beartily on the success

which has stiended your eff .rts as Treasurer of the University Fund. Yours sincerely,

(Signed), F. D. LUGARD.

#### CLAIM BY A GOVERNESS.

INTERESTING ACTION AT THE SUMMARY

Before Mr. Justice Comperts, Pulsue Judge, in the Summary Court this morning, Miss Eve Ragledon brought an action against Mrs. Lydia Prior to recover the sum of \$141.50, as damages for allegadiwrongful, dismissal from her position as governess: Mr. F. P. Hett (of Messrs Brutton and Hett) appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. P. S. D.xon, from Mr. R. A. Harding's office, was for the delendant. The amount of the claim was reduced from \$443.50 to \$118.46 before the case was proceeded with. Several prominent ladies were present in the Courtroom and manifested a keen interest during the proceedings,

Mr. Hett read ibrough the statement of defence, in which it was alleged that plaint it's conduct had been disrespectfol .. He was not satisfied with the particulars and it was lacembent when b triand to make what the Micros willer.

haviour was Before fully opening the case, Mr. Hett sta ed that the record as it stood aptitled. the plaintiff to judgment unless the defendant could prove the regious ellegations against the plaintiff. The statement of delence alleged that the defendant had acted as her husband's agent, which was somewhat ambiguous and

ought to be struck off. Mr. Dixon contended that the action-wasnot brought by the husband and proceeded to read certain correspondence in support of his

Mr. Hett asked for leave to amend the statement of defence.

Mr. Dixon said he knew his friend would ask for that but submitted that the Court had no. power to do that.

Mr. Hett contended that his Lordship had the fullest power to add the principal where the principal had not been disclosed.

His Lordship said he was bound by the au-

thorities to allow the amendment asked for and reserved the question of costs. in opening the case for the defence Mr.

D x in stated that plaintiff was engaged at Kobe and Madras last year. She was cogaged by Mrs. Prior herself and the conditions were that she should act as governess at Hongkong and that defendant should pay ber passage to Hongkong and ber passage back in March next. Plaintiffs arrived in Hongkong about May of last year. From May to July, she was rather satisfactory, although she was at times subject to gross ill-temper, and her teaching capacity was very satisfactory. In July laste Col, and Mrs. Prior went to Japan and took the governors with them to look after their child. During their stay in Japan, they asked the plaintiff to go to a hotel for dinner half-anhour before them in order to enable the child to go to bed. For some reason or other, the plaintiff appeared to be annoyed, although she had sat together at tiffin and was treated as their equal. Plaintiff became very insulting thence on, not only to Mrs. Prior, but Col Prior himself. On one occasion, plaintiff said. she was beginning to get tired'cf her position and would piefer to become a hotpital purse. Col Prior said that her contract did not terminate till the end of March and asked her to make the best of it and they would try to jog along till March. Plaintiff asked. for three months' notice but her employers were averse to this and as she insisted, she was told that she would get the three months' notice but would forfeit her passage back. On the 18th Sep'emben plaintiff wrote a letter resigning her position. Plaintiff would not accept the letter. Plaintiff then wrote her last' letter, in which she asked the defendaut to accept her resignation and that in taking that stop she (the plaintiff) (ully realised that she forfeited all claims to a passage back. If that was not a complete centract, Mr. Dixon declared, he did not know what was: He did not know whether the plaintiff was going to allege that Col. Prior had forged hersignature. After that, the plaintiff showed gross disrespect and most extraordinary behaviour. On one occasion, Col. P. ior wished her " good nothing "at the landing but the plaintiff entirely ignored it. He was not going to rely on those little things but he was bound to bring them in for the purpose of cross-examination. Defendant on one occasion di covered that her child was not called for some time for her music lessons and asked the plaintiff why she did not do so. The latter retorted Oh, the Dear Sir Paul Chater,-I have to acknow- child does not come in." Defendant askledge with thanks the receipt of your letter of ed her why she did not call her and December 31st which, as you have explained, asked her to do so in future, when plainbas been delayed in order to verify some tiff turned round and flittly refused, saying "I will not call, her." On another occasion, Mrs. I am most glad to learn that the mit imum Prior sent ber child to plaintiff's bed-room to ask her to come down to the drawing-room. Endowment and Equipment Fund has been Plaintiff refused to do so and on the child berealised, and I gather that you are now about to ling sent to her a second time, she asked that the message be sent to her in writing. Mrs. were conditional upon the sealisation of the Prior then went to ber and asked her perfectly. scheme to pay in the sums they have generously civilly to come down into the drawing-room, underiaken to give, after which you will pub- as Col. Prior wished to ip ak to her on some business matter but the plaintiff again; We must not lose sight of the fact that, I refused, Col. Prior then went to the door of under Resolution 9. Cainesa donors who plaintiff's bedroom and asked ber to come down. have given sums of \$10,000 and upwards Plaintiff refused to comply with the request. are entitled to claim a free scholarship for each | whereupon Col. Prior gave her to under-Sto.000. Claims under this sule have been re- stand that if she did not come down, she would corded aggregating a capital sum of 3112,000. have to leave his house in a quarter of an In addition we have to raise funds for the erec. hour. Paintiff was heard to remark ; "Ob. tion of the students' querters, (say \$100,000) that's fine," and proceeded to call up the boy to and for the Anatomical Laboratory which are bring up her trunks. Col. Prior told ber he not included in the University building to be could not allow her to leave his house in that esected by Mr. Mody. We must not therefore I manner. Subsequently, plaintiff left and the relax our efforts to complete the full fund | defendant shortly af erwards received a letter from her solicitors asking for the payment of With regard to the question as to whether \$ 50 odd, amount of money due up to the 18th Evidence was called and the case acjourned.

#### FORTHCOMING RACES.

SITES FOR BOOTHS AND MATSHEDS

This afternoon, the several lots numbered ? to 19 were let by public auction by Meters. Hughes and Hough for the erection of booths and matcheds, during the forthcoming race meeting, on the Government ground adjoining the race course, north of the Grand Stand onclosure, The sale last year brought in \$5,000 and this year it fetched \$9,005. Following are the results of the auction;-Lot No. Purchaser.

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SUN A WAN'S BXTRADIZION. INTERESTING JUDGMENTS BY FULL COURT.

Before a Fall Court, consisting of Hon, W. Recos-Davies, K.C., Acting Chief Justice, and Mr. Justice Comper z: Puisne Judge, the case was resumed this morning in which Mr. Blade moved for a rule nisi to be directed to the Captain Superintendent of Police to show cause why Sun A Wan, a prisoner at the Victoria Gaol, should not be discharged. Mr. Slade, instructed by Mr. O.to Kong Sing, represented the prisoner. The Attorney-General; assisted by Mr. C. G. Alabaster, instructed by Mr. F. B. L. Bowley, from the Crown Solicitor's office, appeared for the Crown and Sir Henry Berkeley, K.C., instructed by Mr. H. L. Dennyse Crown Soliciter, repretented the Chinese Government. It will be remembered that at the last sitting of the Full Court in connection with the above matter, the point was raised whether the Chinese Government, represented by Counsel, had the right of audiences and their Lordships at the time held that they had before them a direct precedent for the Chinese Government, being represented in that Court, and without in any way endeavouring Q B D, page 93 was relied upon. That is a learned Chief Justice in the case stated they were disposed to hear Sir Henry on behalf of the Chinese Government and to consider the point raised by Mr. Slade and give more fully their reasons for the course they had decided to adopt in a judgment which would subsequently be delivered.

THE CHIEF JUSTICE'S JUDGMENT. The Chief Justice, in delivering his judgment,

said :- A rule nisi for a writ of habeas corpus was granted in this case and this is a motion to make the rule absolute Mr. Slade, on behalf of the prisoner, bases the application on two grounds:

(1) That there is no proof that the prisoner is a subject of Chi at ;

(1) That no foreign warrant or its equivalent was produced b. fore the Magistrate.

The proceedings are governed by the Chinese Extradition Ordinance, 1889 (Ordinance of 1881). The term "fugitive climinal" is common both to The Imperial Statute-Tre Extendition Act, 1170 and to the local Ordinance referred to, but the interpretation placed on the term differs; for in the Imperial Act nationality is irrelevant in ordinary cases, whereas in the local Ordinance the fugitive ceiminal must be a "subject of China." Section 2 of the Chinese Extradition Ordinance defines " Fugitive Criminal" as follows: - 'Fugitive Criminal means any subject of China! accused of an extradition, crime committed within the jurisdiction of China" or on board a Chinese ship on the high tess, who is or is suspected of being in Hongkong or on board a British ship there." And the same expression is used in the Treaty of Tier toin. Article XX ( reads as follows :- "If criminals, subjects of Chica, shall take refuge in Houghong or on board the Br tish ships there; they shall, upon due requisition by the Chinese authorities, be searched for, and, on proof of their guilt, be delivered up. It in clear, therefore, that it must be proved in the proceedings that the person accused is a subject of China and I agree with the learned Chief Justice, Sir Francis Piggott, in the cate cited (re Wong Ka Cheong I, H.K.L.R. 13) that "there must be some direct evidence before the Magis. trate of nationality." In that case the learned Chief Justice said :--

"It must appear in some way or other from the preceedings that the prisoner is a subject of Chips, for otherwise the requirements of the law would not be complied with It must be shewo; it cannot be assumed. Neither a' Chinese rame, · nor the wearing of Chinese dress would be sufficient, for the prisoner may have been boin in Horgkong and so, a British subject, and a tioublesome question as to the consequence of double nationality in respect of extradition might p rhaps arise. There must therefore ba some direct evidence before the Magistrate of nationality."

The question, therefore, which we have to decide is: Was there any direct evidence before the Magistrate that the accused was a subject of China? In my opinion there was not. It was contended by the Crown and by Sir Henry Berkeley on behalf of the Chinese Government: (1) that it is not necessary for the Crown to prove the fact when it is not challenged by the prisoner and that it lies on him to show the contrary; and (1) alternatively, that there is abundant ; rima facio evidence to show that the prisener is a subject of China. In regard to the evidence we were referred to the charge sheet and to the order of His Excellency the Governor upon which the Magis: trate's warrant issued in which the accused was described as " Sun A Wan late of the Wai Chow Prefecture in the Empire of China," and further, to the police evidence that the prisoner was arrested and brought befire the Court by virtue of the warrant. As to this I do not think it can be contended with any show of authority that the facts alleged in the order or warrant (these documents are in the form prescribed by the Ordinance) is evidence of such facts any more than that the allegations in an indictment are evidence of the facts alleged. Then what is the other evidence relied upon? Sui Fuk says he reported the robbery to the Kwai Sin Uo (i.c. the Pistrict Magistrate) that he had known the prisoner previously on the 8th or 9th moon of the same year (i.e., 1908) that he had been coming and going in Ai Pi village frequently Kie, when the alleged robbery took place). In cross-examination, he said that he had never spoken to him, that he was in the marketplace, coming and going nearly every day, that he heard people talking, hence he knew his name was Sun A Wan and that he did not hear them call him "a reformer," As to this, Mr. Alabaster suggests that the whole ated to subjects, whereas the term "fogitive accusation in China-and if so whether such lish the prisoner's association with the Re- limited to subjects of China. And the romarks merely say very briefly that if section a be conform party and that this creates a prima of Mr Baron Polick both in the argument and strued in the ordinary and natural sense it does facis presumption that the Reform party in his judgment were directed to the contant not appear to make a formal accusation in are subjects of China. Having regard, how, tion that the pritoner was a naturalised subject. China a condition precedent to an application. ever to the nacessity, as I have stated, of of the U.S.A. and was not a person who was to bers. No doubt, if it were proved that so

much avail. Then Chan Chan states that he had known the prisoner since 1903, that he was engaged to take trees to his master, that he saw him in 1904 and once again in 1905 and he further stated that in 1905 was the first time he saw, him and that he heard in the country that he was a robber and a thick. Another witness, Ho Lid, said he did not know what part of the country the prisoner came from, and by the word "country" we are asked o imply it is China, which is probably obvious, but the fact in itself door not catablish his Chinese nationality, as there are numerous Chinese in China, Hongkong and the New Territories who are British subjects. I have referred to all the evidence upon which the Crown and the Chinese Government rely and I am clearly of opinion that there was no direct evidence before the Magistrate of nationality. But then it is contended it is not necessary to prove the prisoner's nationality when it is not challenged by him and, further, that the onus is placed on the prisoner to show he is not a subject of China and that if there is prima facie evidence of Chinese nationality it is for the prisoner to show that he is not of Chinese nationality. In support of this contention of Reg. v. Ganz o case which had regard to an extradition treaty between the United Kingdom and the Netherlands and provided inter alia that the respective diplumatic agents of both countries should deliver up to each other reciprocally any persons accused or convicted of any of the extradition crimes committed within the jurisdiction of the requiring party, who should be found within the territories of the other party. The word " subjects' was defined in the treaty as including not only naturalised citizens of the country but also such foreigners as according to the laws of either of the contracting parties pre assimilated to subjects. It was contended in that case that the prisoner being a naturalised subject of the U.S. A. was not amenable to the treaty and should be rendited. In the course of the argument, Mr. Baron Pollock remarked: - 'Must not a man be taken prima facia to be the subject of the country in which he commits the offence at the time of so committing it, and Does it follow that because a man is a naturalised subject of the United States he may not for this purpose be a tubject of the Nefber-

lands ?"

And in his judgment he said : -"Two points are made on behalf of the prisoner which are of importance as involving a matter of principle affecting the liberty of the subject. The first of them is this; it is said that the prisoner is not subject to the extradition law as existing between this country and the Netherlands, by tenson of his not being a subject of the Netherlands. It is said that the evidence before the magistrate shewed him to be naturalised subject of the United States, and this evidence was also supplemented by an affidavi, stating that not only has the prisoner been naturalised in the United States, but that also there is no reason to believe that he was b. ro in the Netherreason to believe that he was boin in a city in Hungary. Therefore it is contended that the Extradition Treaty between this country and the Netherlands does not apply, and that the prisoner caunct be given up to the Government of the Notherlands. This matter, no doubt, depends not only on the English Sintu's but also on the terms of the treaty; but before alluding to the within any particular country is this. Whatever rights, civil or otherwise, a man may have which may be affected by his domicile, it is and must be perfectly clear who is within the jurisdiction of the particular country in which he commits a come is subject to that jurisdiction; otherwise the criminal law could not be administered according to any civilised. melbod.

The Attorney-General has pointed out to us the very general language of the first and third atticles of the treaty. The first art cle runs thus :- It is agreed that her Britannic Majesty and his Majesty the King ofthe Netherlands shall, on requisition made in their name by their respective diplomatic agents, deliver up to each other reciprocally any persons who, being accused or convicted of any of the crimes thereinafter specified committed within the jurisdiction of the requiring party, shall be found within the territories of the other party Here it is according to all ordinary rules that one would expect to find any limitation with respect to the character or status of the persons who are to be given up, Not only are the most general words used viz, " sny persons," but the article goes on and refers to their being persons accused or convicted of crime committed within the jurisdiction of the requiring party clearly showing that the definition of the persons to be delivered up is any person who commits one of the specified crimes within such jurisdiction. Then when we come to the third article of the treaty there is an express definition of what is meant by the word "subject." It is to include not only paturalised citizens of the country to the laws of either of the contracting parties, are ass'milated to subjects as well as such foreigners who, being domiciledin the country and having married by that matriage born there. The first part tends to show that the person who is assimilated to a subject must be so in respect to the subject matter with which the treaty is dealing, viz, the criminal law. It is clear that a person who commits a crime within a particular territory, for all purposes connected with that crime, is regarded as as-

similated to a subject." It will be seen that in that case the words used in the treaty "any person," to adopt Mr Baron Pollock's language, were " most general words," and the word, "Subject" included not only naturalized citizens but also such foreigners as according to the laws of either of the contracting parties are assimil- the second point-whether there must be an direct evidence, I do not think that su; h an be regarded avarsimilated to a subject, and I do accusation had been laid in China, that would implication, aren if well-tounded, can be of not think the remarks can have any direct beet. Do a material fact for the consideration of the o pany

ing in regard to the express and specific words used in our Ordinance. Nor do I think the contention put forward in the argument of Bir Henry Berkeley that the word "subject" used in the local Ordinance means " subject to the jurisdiction of China " so as to bring it within, the reasoning of the judgment which I have cited can be sustained. In regard to Wong Ka Cheong's case already referred to the evidence adduced in support of the prisoner's nationality was obviously, as appears in the judgment, very different to the evidence in this case, and the learned Chief Justice found that there was " . good prima facie case of Chinese nationality established before the Magistrate which in my judgment is not the case here, and he commented on the fact that it was not rebutted by the prisoner. A rebuttal by the prisoner in the present case having regard to the construction I place on the evidence would have been unnecessary. We were referred by Mr. Alabaster to certain general principles in Taylor on Evidence but having regard to the express words of the Ordinance which require in my judgment direct evidence of proof they are not I think germane to the point at issue. Having regard to the conclusion at which I have arrived on the first contention but forward in behalf of the prisoner it becomes unnecessary to decide the other point as to the production of the foreign warrant or its equivalent before the Magistrate here, but speaking generally I adopt the argument of the learned Attorney General as to the intention of the legislature in expressly discriminating between the requirements of the Imperial Act and those required in the local Ordinance. In my opinion the rule must be made absolute.

PUISNE JUDGE'S DECISION.

The Puisne Judge said :- This was motion to make absolute a rule wisi granted by the Chief Justice calling upon the Crown to show cause why Sun A . Wan alias Fu Ming, who had been committed to Victoria Goal as a fugitive criminal under section to of the Chinese Extradition Ordinance, 1829, should not be discharged from custody. There were two grounds on which Mr. Slade based his argument that the fugitive criminal should be does it not lie on him to shew the contrary? discharged. The first was, shortly, that the words fugitive criminal as defined by section 2 of the Ordinance are limited to a subject of Chica: and that there was no evidence before the Megistrate to show that the prisoner was a subject of Chica. I will deal first with this point, It was coatended for the Crown (1) That it is not at all necessary for the Crown to provo definitely the nationality of the prisoner. (2). That at apy'rate this is unnecessary where the prisoner himself does not set up that he is not a Chinese subject. (3) And that there was before the Magistrate abundant prima facie evidence that prisoner was a Chinese subject. Now as to the first point we were referred to Biron and Chalmers on Extradition page. 16 and to the case of R. v. Ganz g. Q.B.D. 93. There is no doubt of the correctness of the proposition that under the Imperial Act a lands-on the contrary, it says that he has, fugitive criminal may be a subject of a third State, who has committed an offence in a foreign country and then fled to the British dominions. In R. v. Ganz it was, however, argued for the prisoner that as the demand for extradition must under article XI of the Treaty between Great Britain and the State applying for rendition, be made by the diplomatic agent treaty I would say that the leading prin- of his (the criminal's) country the intention was ciple which underlies all questions of clearly manifested that the subject of a third nationality as applied to crime committed Government, not a party to the Treaty, was not to be surrendered. The Court answered that any person committing a crime within the jurisdiction of a country was pro tanto a subby the law of all nations that each person ject of that country which became for the purposes of the Act his country which could demand his extradition unless treaty arrangements provided to the contrary. Now the decision of the Court in that case referred specially to and obviously turned directly on the very general language of the definition in the Extradition Act. . That Act was passed to give effect to the provisions of Treatics made or to be made with the British Government by Foreign Powers. The subject of Chinese Extradition in this Colony is of course governed by the Chinese Extradition Act, 1869, which was passed to give effect to Article XX t of the Treaty of Tientsin. Crown. in the local Ordinauco the term "fugitive" criminal" is defined as meaning "auf subject of China accused " etc. ' . The difference between the language of section 2 of the local Ordinance and section 25 of the Imperial Act is very significant, and it seems to me clear that section 2 of the Ordinance constitutes it, a condition precedent to the jurisdiction of the Magistrate to commit, that the prisoner should be proved to be actually of Chinese nationality. This being so, the burden of proof must of course be on the Crown to establish that fact by affirmative evidence. It is not for the prisoner to raise the point and by not doing so he is not debarred from taking the objection. now. We were referred to the judgment of but also such foreigners as according Sir Francis Piggott in Wong Ke Cheong's case 1, H.K.L.R. at page 14. The learned His Excellency the Governor, at noon. Chief Justice having reviewed the evidence is that case concludes; "Lastly, and most material, citizen thereof have one or more children is the fact that the prisoner did not tender any evidence to show that he was not a Chinese subfect." But this must be read together with the wordsimmediately following:" I think there was a good prime facin case of Chinese nationality before the Magistrate-and the prisoner did not rebut this in any way." Now in the case before us I ful y agree with my learned brother that there is not even a prima facie case of Chinese pationality set up., There was therefore nothing for the prisoner to rebut. I think the objection to the commitment is a good one and that the rule must be made absolute. It becomes then unnecessary to expressly decide object of the cross-examination was to estab- criminal in the local Ordinance is expressly an accusation has been proved. But I will o p.m.

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Magistrate. But even if an accusation in China be necessary under the Ordinance it seems to-me that the requirements of the Statute are sufficiently met by proof that a report accusing the prisoner of the crime was made to the District Magistrate. The only other question to be considered is the position of a Foreign Government when Extradition proceedings are pending before the Court: whether in fact the Foreign Government can claim to participate by Counsel. Sir Francis Piggott in his very learned and very careful judgment delivered on May : 29th, 1905, in Wong Ka Cheong's case 1 H.K L.R. at p. 2 intimated that a Foreign Government had no locus standi in Extradition proceedings. The learned Chief Justice had not before him in that case a precedent which was produced to us; the case of Loung Ah Fu, heard by the Full Court of Hongkong: Russell C. J. and Leach J. in 1887 when Mr. Francis, Q. C., appeared for the Chinese Government. Nor was there cited to him Castioni's case 1891, 1, Q.B. 147 in which the English Solicitor-General appeared for the Swiss Government before the Divisional Court. It is noticeable that the prder nisi in that case called upon both the Police Magistrate and the Consul-General for Switzerland to show cause. Whether or not the learned Chief Justice would have modified the opinion he expressed, in Wong KaCheong's case, had these important precedents been brought to his notice it is not worth while now to consider. The Attorney-General for the Crown raised no objection to the Chinase Gavernment being represented and we determined on this occasion that without deciding the question at large we would hear Sir Heary Berkeley. In the event of the question being raised again, we should require a fuller argument on the point than was possible on this occasion.

Mr. Slade applied for costs against the Chinese Government.

Sir Heary submitted that no costs could be given against the Chinese Government. It was only a question between the party and the Mr. Slade contended that if any party inter-

vened in a case of that kind, he was under the larisdiction of the Court.

you any authority for that? Mr. Blade-Your Lordship is asking me the question off-hand.

Further consideration of the question was deferred.

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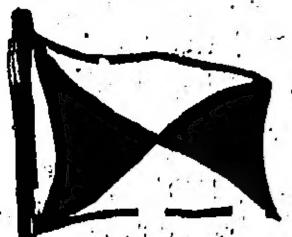
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The following report is from Mr. F. G. Figg. Director of the Hongkong Observatory:-On the 12th at 12,10 p. - The birometer has risen slightly over he E and S. coasts of China and the Lonchoos, and fallen moderately over

N.E. and S.E. of Japan. The depression lying over the Eastern Sea yesterday, is moving Eastwards to the S. of

The barometer has fallen again over the angize valley where another depression apears to be developing.

Pressure is highest over N. China and Man-Churia

Fresh or moderate N.E and E. winds may be expected in the Formosa Channel and along the northern shore of the China Sea

Hongkoog Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at to a.m. to-day, o.oo inches. FORECAST.

r.-Hongkong and Neighbourhood, N.E. and E. winds, fresh or moderate; drizzling rain or mist.

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4.-South coast of China between Hongkong and Hainan, same as No. t, .

#### Shipping.

Michael Jebsen, Ger. s.s., 951, J. Petersen, Saint George, Br. s.s., 2,674, H. B. Sadler, 5th 11th Jan .- Hoihow 8th Jan., Pigs and Coal, - J & Co.

Jan.,—Hongay 8th Jan., Gen.—J. & Co. Prinz Eitel Friedrich, Ger. s.s., 5,001, E. Malchow, 1 ith Jan ... Hamburg 2nd Dec., and · Singapore 8th Jan., Mails and Gen .- M. & Co.

Jan,-Meji 4th Jar., Coal,-M. B. K. Chenan, Br. s.s., 1,350, L. Jones, 11th Jan.,-Canton teth Jan , Gen -B' & S. Spir, Norw. s.s., 871, ". Horn, tath Jan ,-

Canton 11th Jan., Geo .-- Asyand, Thoresen & Co. Hupeh, Br. s.s., 1,205, P. Cole, 12th Jan.,-

Canton (1th Jan , Cen -B. & S. Kiukiang, Br. s.s., 1,2237, F. Robertson, 12th Jan: - Cinton Itth Jim, Gen.-B. & S. Haiyang, Br. s.s., 1,367, A. E. Hodgins, 12th-Jan.,-Swatow 11th Jan., Tea and Gen.-D., L. & Co. Welsh Prince, Br. ss., 2,318, Shipperd, 12th

Jan.,-New York 20th Nov., '09, and Slugapore 5th Jan., Gen .- A., K'& Co. Hanoi, Fr. s.s., 630, J. Pannier, 11th Jan.,Haiphong via Pakhoi, Hoibow and Quong-chow-wan 7th Jan., Gan .- A. R. M. Wakamatsu Maru, Jap. s.s., 2,778, U. Aikawa,

12th Jan.,-Wekamatsu 7th Jan., C al.-M. B. G. K. Takeshima Maru, Jap. s.s., 1,052, J. Kinoshits, 12th Jan, - Dairen 5th Jan, Coal, - M. B.

Canton Mare, Jap. s.s., 1,997, K. Tsumura, 12th Jan,-Moji 5th Jan., Coal.-Ataka & Kawachi Maru, Jap. s.s. 7,782, H. Petersen, 72th Jan,-Shanghai 8th Jan, Gen-N.

Clearances at the Harbour Office.

Chowlai, for Swatow. Ichang, for Pakhoi, Tipanas, for Batavia. Hazel Dollar, for Moji. Kwan teh, for Shanghai Halman, for Swatow. Suisang, for Canton. Maris, for Cipton. Waiu, for Dalny,

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Buelow, for Europe: Attuta Maru, for Nagasaki. Chowfil. for Swatow. Halmun, for Swatow. Klang Pin , for Canton. Kwanitik, for Shanghai. Ichang, for Hongay. Hango kow, for Chinking. . Wulu, for Dalay. Tilpanas, for Batavin.

Hasel Doller, for Japan.

Taiskan, for Canton, Passengers arrived.

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Par Prins Elfel Priedrick, from Hamburg, Theseus. 17th Documbet-Ambria, Glamortc. for Hongkong-Mestrs. C. C. Donelan, A. | ganskirs, Iyo Maru, Melnam, P. R. Luispold. Wernon, Luis Santos, P. Negel, Guerdrum, Dr. 20th December—Semail, 21st December—Sand Mrs. O. Müller, Mesurs, Cour. Clarks, C. Alkall, Printell Alize, Schnylkill, 35th Dec-Humphreys, Mrs. Coys Smith, Mrs. C. S. smbur-Anlanor, Armand Behlt, Kijane Maru, Lallant, Mr. Frits Lachmann, Mrs. E. Stevan. 28th December-Anstrie, Dardonni, 4th Janu. Anni Prol. Dr. and Mrs. H. & fluger, Misses G. ary-Astyanez, 7th January-Belgrayle, Cal-And Et Palzer, Morrey J. H. Hinglain Man, Same

Graoff, Dre. Eyl, Marx, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Stewart and child, Mr. Hugo Kyriss, Mr. and Mrs. Diehl, Pr. and Mrs. 8. Madsen, Messrs. Tong Ken Chin, Chang Te Cheng, Miss Shit Ting Ying, Capt. A. Knoth, Mr. and Mrs. Yap Kur Jon, Messes. Yap Tong Ji, Mul Len, Toft, Joh. Ehlers, Alex. Campbell, Size Suntong, Vang Sak Lu, Chung Hee Lui, Chu Chung Pai, Lye Swee Chee, Miss Rosina Rodjerry, Mr. and Mrs. Tan Tek Chen, Messre. Leg Ah Kwang, Leg Ah Sain, Yung Ah Grob, Miss Yong Seng Chan, Mrs. Ab Sin and child, and Mr. Tam See Hing.

Per Hanoi, from Haiphong, &c .- Mrs. Loustan and son, Miss Brovette, and Rev. Lament.

Passengers-departed.

Per Atinia Mare, for Japan-Dr. Terao, Major Taude, Mrs. Beadles, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. l'earce, Mrs. Wade, Messrs. S. Saito, Ushida, Takeda, Murato, Ikeda, Miss Nobeta Risa, Dr. K. Hanawa, Messrs. Jose Fernandez, Antonio Martins da Silva, C. Takahashi, Fuji sbima, Itakura and S. Hirooka,

Shipping Ropor's. Str. Halyang, from Swatow :- Light variable breeze and thick fog.

Str. Wakamitsu Maru, from Wakamatsu :--Since Heishan Lt. abreast weather was fogging.

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Aline, Br. s.s., 1,450, J. Martin, 2nd Jan.,-Saigon 28th Dec, Ric .- Man Fat, Asia, Br. s.s., 2,936, Harry Gaukroger, 4th Jan.,—San Francisco 7th Dec., Honolulu 14th, Yokohama 27th, Kobe 18th, Nagasaki 30th, and Shanghai 1st Jan., Mails and Gen-P. M. 1. S. Co.

Bourbon, Fr. s.s., 997, Le Bail, 9th Jan: - | Kagoshima !. Salgon 5th Jan., Rice and Gen .- Man Fat. Oshlma Capri, Ital. s.s., 2,717, Dini Francesco, roth Jan.,-Bombay 17th Dec., and Singapore ard lan., Gen.-C. & Co.

Chingtufu, Chi. s.s., 2,260, A. Augensen, 26th Dec ..- Tsingtau atst Dec., Salt -- Wallem

Choshun Maiu, Jap. s.s., r.301, T. Suruga, roth Jan.,-Swatow 9th Jan., Gen.-O. S. K. Empress of China, Br. s.s., 3,046, R. Archibald, R.N.R., 8th Jan.,-Vancouver, B.O. 18th Dec., 1909, and Shanghai 6th, Mails and Gen.-O. P. R. Co.

Fiume, Ger. s.s., 838, Wegner, 10th Jan. Cebu 4th Jan., Ballast,-Barretto & Co. Gregory Apcar, Br. s.s., 2,961, S. H. Belson, 8th Jan, -Moji 4th Jan, Gen .- D. S. &

Hing Shup, Chi. s.s., 808, Mankussen, 10th Jan.,-Tourane 7th Jan., Coal.-Wallem

Holstein, Ger. s.s., r, to3, D. Hentz, 11th Jan., .- Teingtau 5th Jan., Coal .- ]: & Co. Kalfong, Br. s.s., 937, Warrack, 10th Jan.,-Cebu and Iloilo 6th Jan., Hemp and Sugar,-B. & S.

Kaifuku Maro, Jap. s.s., 1,903, S. Suda, 11th Jan.,-Milke 5th Jan., Coal.-M. B. K. Kaisow, Br. s.s., 2,519, R. S. Jones, 11th Jan., -Singapore 4th Jan., Gen.-B. & S. Kashing, Br. s.s., 1,215, H. E. Lavers, 11th Jan,-Holhow 7th Jan., Coal and Pigs,-

Laertes, Br. s.s., 1,340, H. C. D. Frampton, 29th Dec. - Saigon 23rd Dec. Gen -- Chi-Liang: how, Br. s.s., 1,215; H. Warder, 9th Jan., -Canton 8th Jan., Gen.-B. & S. Lightning, Br. s.s., 2,122, A. E. Gentles, toth

Jan. -- Calcutta 25th Dec., via Penang and Singapore 4th Jan., Gen.-D. S. & Co., Loosok, Ger. s s., 1,020, P. Wittstock, 10th Isn .- Bangkok and Hoihow oth Jan., Gen.-B. & S.

Rajaburi, Gor. s.s., 1,189, H. Brewen, 11th Jan .- Swatow 10th Jan . Rice and Timber .- M. & Co. Jan .- Barry 17th Nov . Coal .- D. & Co.,

Germania, Ger, s.s., 1,10', Jurgensen, 11th Shakano Maru, Jap. 8'8., 2,064, K. Nagata, 6th Jan.,-Moji 30th Dec, Coal.-Ataka &

Sbinco Maru, Jap. s.s , 2,230, Y. Furnkawa, rith Jan. - Moji 31st Dec., Coal.-M. B. Bushu Maru, Jap. s.s., 1,958, 8. Masumolo, 12th Sui Sang, Br. s.s., 1,780, W. D. Welsh, 10th

Jan.,-Ching-wang-tao 3rd Jan., Coal,-C. E. & M. Ca. Suveric, Br. s.s., 4,000, S. Shotton, 11th Jan.,-Mavila, (Philippine 1s.) 9th Jan, Hemp

and Cigars .- D. & Co., Ld. Taiwan, Br. ss., 1,042, A. Jenkins, 4th Jan., -Saigon 30th Dec, Rice and Meal,-

Wing Fat & Co. Tsinanfo, Chi. s.s., 1,460, Juliussen, 5th Jan,-

Saigon 31st Dec., Rice,-Wallem & Co. Yuensang, Br. s.s., 1,128, P. H. Rolle, 10th Jan, -- Manila 7th Jan, Gen,-- J., M. & Co. Zafiro, Br. s.s., 1,618, R. Rodger, 10th Jan.,-Manila 8th Jan., Hemp and Gen. S., T. & Co.

SAILING VESSELS. Comet, Br. barque, 2,890, W. J. Davis, 18th Nov., -- from New York, Petroleum, -- S. O.

Lyndburst, Br. ship, 2,244, Parnell, 16th Oct., -Canton 15th Oct., Ballast.-S. O. Co. Steamers Expected.

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#### Ships Passed The Canal.

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Alacrity	despatch-vessel	700		1 000	Commander G. T. K. Fuller	Hongkong
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Cadmus	8100p	1,070	6	1,400	Commander H. L. P. Heard	Hongkong
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Ollo	\$100D	1,070	6	1,400	Commander C. T. Borrett	Handbang
Fame	. The Same Saudinaums	306	6	5,700	LieutCommander Thomas	Welhalwel
Flora	crulser, 2nd class ,	4,360	TO	7,900	Captain Rowland Nugant	Hongkong
Handy	torpedo boat destroyer	375	6	4,000	Lieut, Commander G. Haathcote	Hongrong
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King Aifred *	cruiser, 1st class	14,100	18	30,000	Captain Clinton Baker	Hongkong
Kinsba	river gunboat	616	41	1,200	Lieut. Commander T. J. S. Lyne	Yangtso
Merlin		1,070	0	1,400	Captain F. C. Learmonth	. Jesselton
Monmonth	cruiser, set class	9,800	14	12,000	Captalo G. W. Smith	Hongkong
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Nightingale		85 .		240	Lieut. Commander R. S. Roy	Yangisa
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Robin		85	2	240	LieutCommander J. Walta	
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	Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation	120,000	\$125	· \$135	\$15,700,000	\$2,007,810	Interim of \$2 for account 1909 @ ex 1/9}	4 %	\$1,000 sa. & b London £93,5
į.	National Bank of China, Limited	99,925	7		\$250,000) \$4,000		Carl and an alfa for tops		\$65 buyers
. 1	Oanton Insurance Office, Limited	10,000	\$250	\$50	\$1,500,000	530,552	\$2 (London 5/6) for 1903		
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	North China Insurance Company, Lim ed	10,000	15	£5	Tis. 315,253 Tis. 146,185	Tis. 207,573	Final of 7/6 making 15/- for 1908	m,	Tls, 1121
	Union Insurance Society of Canton	12,400	\$150	\$ioo	\$3,000,000 \$95,000 \$102,748	¥9,464,901	Final of \$17 making \$47 for 1907 and interim of \$30 for 1908	51 %	\$900 sa. and 1
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	Yangiszo Insurance Association, Limited	1,3,000	\$100	\$4o	\$294,405 } \$199,264 }	\$7.7,617	\$12 and honus \$3 for 1907	7 %	\$230
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90	Hongkong Fire Insurance Com any, Limited SHIPPING. China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited	30,000	\$250	\$50	51,43 ,175	1168,711	\$17 for 1907		\$370 sellers
	Douglas Steamship Company, Limited	20,000	- \$50	\$50.	{ \$150, 8,}	\$1,03\$ Nil.	\$1 for 1906	~	\$33
••	Hongkong, Canton & acao Steamhoat Co., Ld	80,000	\$15	Sis	\$3350,000 \$617,500 \$119,267	\$21,170	Interim of \$1   for account 1909	71 X	S32 sales
	Indo-Ohina Steam Navigation Co., Ld. (P. eferred) Do. Do. (Deferred)	60,000	Ls	Ls	£10,000 }	£13,755	6/- for 1907 on Preference shares only @ ex 1/9 11/16=\$3. 154		\$63 buyers
	"Shell" Transport and Trading Company, Limited	2,000,000	£1 \$10	. Li Sto	(720,000) (100,000)	£63,817	{ Final of 2/- for 1908 and interim of 1/- for }	4 4	65/- \$26 buyers
•	"Star" Forry Company, Limited	10,000	\$10	\$5.	\$48,08	Sg,rai	Sc.50) for year ending to.4. 1909	31 %	\$141
	China Sugar Refining Company, Limited	20,000	2103	Sign	\$350 000 } \$56,848 }	Dr. \$5,858	\$5 for year ending 31.12.08	31 %	\$158
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	DUCKS, WHARVES & GODOWNS			7,1	£4 /18	Dr. L2,191	No. 12 of 1/-=48 cents	****	Số sellers
	Fenwick (Geo.) & Co., Limited	18,000	\$25	. 212	S 18,986.	Dr. \$7,421	\$1.75 for year ending 31.12.06	141	Sio
	Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ld	60,000	\$55.2	Sço	\$550,000 \$26,806 \$40,000		None	,,,,	\$59 bayers
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•	Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Company, Limited			Tis. 100	Tis. 69: 1257	Tis. 6,261	Interim of Tis. 2] for I II		Tis. 72 s. ex
	LANDS, HOTELS & BUILDINGS.	3.5			( Tis, 115,0 0]	Tis. 12,818	Final of Tis. 6 making Tis. to for 1908	. 7 7	Tis, 130 selle
	Anglo-French Land Investment Co, Ld		Ils. to	Tis. 100.	Fis. 35,000	Tis. 4,134	Tis. 6 for year ending 29.2,09	si %	Tis. ros buy
•	Hougkong Hotel Company, Limited	8,000	\$5. \$5. \$50	\$50 } \$25 }	\$1,000 \$648,970 } \$14,018 }	\$24,641	St. 20 on old and 60 cents on first new issue [Interim of \$2.40 on old and 40 cents on ] new shares for account 1909		\$15 sales \$78 buyers \$47 new buy
	Humphreys Estate & Finance Company, Limited	150,000	51 - 51 -	Sio	\$250,000 \$224,172 }	\$26,475 \$5,486	I Page Jan of all for accessor and a		\$102 buyers \$81 sales
	Kowloon Land and Building Company, Limited		\$50 Tis. 50	530 Tis, 50	745,261 ) none (15. 2,525,045 )	\$278	\$1\ for 1908	5 %	\$30 sellers Tis, 120 sale
	West Point Building Company, Limited		\$50	\$50	. [ . Tis. 100,000]		Interim of Tis. 3 for account 1909		\$44 buyers
Ť	COTTON MILLS.  Rwo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Ld  Hongkong Cotton Spinning, Weaving and Dyeing [	15,000 125,000	Tis. 50	Tis. 5	Tis, sto.con?	71s zo 99z	The refor year couling 31 to cg	81 %	Tls. 139 buy
	International Cotton Manufacturing Company, Ld	10.000	\$10 Tis. 75	Sr Tls. 75	Tls 40,098 J	\$9,553	So cents for year on ling 31.7.0%		\$6 sellers
h.	Laou-kung-mow Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld' Sey Chee Cotton Spinning Company, Limited	8,000	Tis, 100	Tis. 1. Tis. 5 o	none	Tis, 6,373 Tis, 4,829	Til. 4 for 1908		Tls. 75
	MISCELLANHOUS.  Bell's Ashestos Eastern Agency, Limited	8,604			Tls. 21,172	Tls. 15,911	115. 50 tor 1900	***	Tls. 425
. '	China Light and Power Company, Limited	60,000	\$12 \$12 \$10	\$12 \$12 \$10	₹1,500 140,000	£648 Nil.	\$1.20 for 1'308	IO Z	\$10 \$12
٠	China Provident Loan & Mortgage Company, Ld.	125,000	Sto Sto	\$1.3 \$1.	тапа 51ос, ка	\$61,238 \$3,407	So cents for 1928		So buyers
(3)	Green Island Cement Company, Limited	400 000	\$74 \$10	. \$6 \$10	\$1 .00c}	\$1,89 >	Interim of 35 cents for account 1909	81.2	\$16} sellers
	Hongkong Electric Company, Limited	60,000	\$10	\$10	\$13,000	\$3,756 \$670	Sin d bonns 20 cts. for year ending 29,2,0	8 %	\$72 sa. and b
	Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	5,000	210 252	\$25 \$10	1150,000	\$5195 \$7616	Interim of \$2 for account 1909	10 %	\$20 sellers \$180 sellers \$22} sales
·.	Peak Tramways Company, Limited		Gs. 100	Gs. ico	\$20,000 Tis. 547,500 Tis. 65,924	\$8790 'L'i.e. 316,682	Final of T.s. 121 and bonus of Tis. 74 for	1,0	Tis. 940 sales
	Philippine Company, Limited	75,000	\$10	\$20	\$10,000	S.,204 Ps. 18,640	So cents on fully paid share- and 8 cents on a St paid shares for year ending 30,4,09, \\ None	3 %	\$13½ \$1.40 \$9½ buyers
,	Shanghai-Sumatra Tobacco Company, Limited South China Morning Post, Limited	30,000	Fls. 20	Tis, 20	Tis, 14,810 1	* it = 5,250	Final Tis. 5 making Tis. 8 for 1908	41.7	Tis. 135 selle
	Steam Laundry Company, Limited Union Waterboat Company, Limited	20,000	\$25 \$25	\$25 \$5	попе	Dr. \$56,602	None		\$23} buyers
	United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited	10,000	\$10 • \$10	\$10 \$5	none	\$63 \$172	to cents for year ending 31.12,03	5 X	\$10) sellers
i.e	Watson (&S.) & Co., Limited William Powell, Limited		Sto	Si.	\$46,000	\$342 \$2,623	60 cents per ord, share for year ending 31,5,0	- 4 /4	Stat buyers
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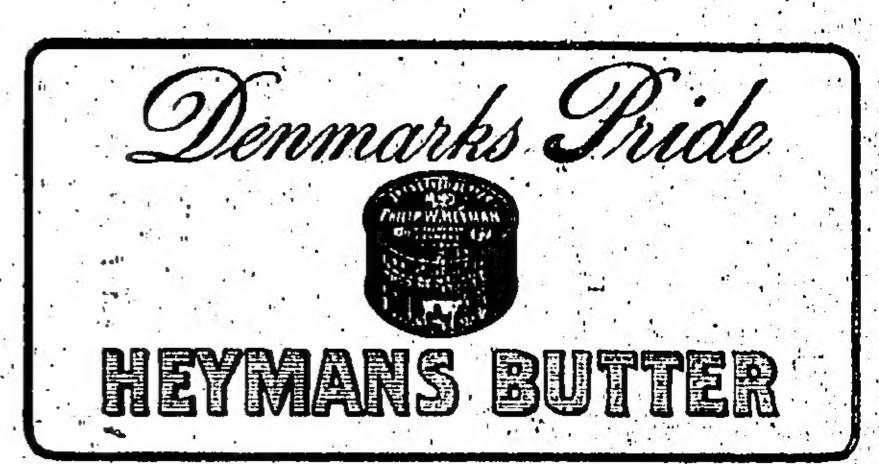


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